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Docket No.: 2950-0281P

MS PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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This is a Request for filing a \(\subseteq \) continuation \(\subseteq \) divisional continuation-in-part application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) of pending prior Application No. 10/323,789 filed on December 20, 2002, the entire contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference, by

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for

METHOD AND APPARATUS OF CONVERTING A SERIES OF DATA WORDS INTO MODULATED SIGNALS

Enclosed is an application consisting of specification, 1. claims, declaration and drawings/photographs (if applicable).



2. \square The filing fee has been calculated as follows:

| | | | LARGE ENTITY | SMALL ENTITY |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|
| | BASIC FEE | | \$770.00 | \$385.00 |
| | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA | RATE FEE | RATE FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 11-20 = | 0 | x 18 = \$0.00 | x 9 = \$0.00 |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 3-3 = | 0 | x 86 = \$0.00 | x 43 = \$0.00 |
| ☐ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED | | | + \$290.00 | + \$145.00 |
| | _ | TOTAL | \$770.00 | \$0.00 |

| ٥. | | fee and recording fee (if applicable) is enclosed. |
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| 4. | | Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. A triplicate copy of this request is enclosed. |
| 5. | \boxtimes | Enclosed is/are \underline{two} ($\underline{2}$) sheet(s) of formal drawings and/or photographs. |
| 6a. | | A statement claiming small entity status was filed in prior Application No. 10/323,789 on See the attached copy of the statement claiming small entity status. |
| 6b. | | The current application qualifies for small entity status. |
| 7. | \boxtimes | The prior application is assigned to <u>LG Electronics</u> <u>Inc.</u> |
| 8. | | A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. |
| 9a. | | Priority of Application No(s). 2001-0082844 filed in Korea on 12/21/01 is/are claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. See attached copy of the Letter claiming priority filed in the prior application on August 15, 2003. |
| 9b. | | Priority of International Appln filed on under the Patent Cooperation Treaty and |

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| | | Application No filed in on under 35 U.S.C. § 120 and/or § 119 are hereby reclaimed. |
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| 10. | | An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 form(s) are attached hereto for the Examiner's consideration. |
| 11. | \boxtimes | Address all future communications to: |
| | | BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP P.O. Box 747 Falls Church, VA 22040-0747 (703) 205-8000 or Customer No. 02292 |
| 12. | | An extension of time for() month(s) untilhas been submitted in parent Application No. 10/323,789 in order to establish co-pendency with the present application. |
| 13. | | Also enclosed herewith is the following: |
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If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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